2019

Pollinator Week Toolkit



Celebrate with us June 17-23, 2019!



Welcome to the official **2019** *Pollinator Week Toolkit*! Utilize these resources to help you celebrate and promote your involvement in this year's Pollinator Week (*June 17-23, 2019*). Additional information can be found at <u>http://www.pollinator.org/pollinatorweek/</u> or by contacting Pollinator Partnership at <u>info@pollinator.org</u>.

ACTIVITY IDEAS

There are countless ways to celebrate:

- Encourage your Governor to sign a proclamation
- Display pollinator artwork and outreach materials in your office lobby
- Begin your own or join a social media campaign
- Highlight Pollinator Week in a newsletter, blog, or magazine
- Sponsor Pollinator Week (see additional resources)
- Host a pollinator-themed meal or mixer
- Pollinator planting day at your school, office, local park, or library
- Build native bee houses (see additional resources)
- Join the Million Pollinator Garden Challenge (see additional resources)
- Request a local establishment or building light up for Pollinator Week (For example: Light up City Hall in Yellow and Black)
- Plant habitat in your backyard using native plants
- Host a nature walk or pollinator expert lecture
- Screen a pollinator film (see additional resources)
- Host a pollinator festival or native plant sale
- Host an educational event at a local library

Be sure to post all local public events at http://pollinator.org/pollinator-week!

SOCIAL MEDIA

Use **#pollinatorweek** for all mentions of pollinator week, events and resources shared. Mention **Pollinator Partnership** on Facebook, twitter, and Instagram and we may re-share!

Sample posts:

- It's #pollinatorweek! #DYK that pollinators like bees, butterflies, and bats, provide 1 out of 3 bites of food we eat? Say thanks by planting native plants, supporting local farmers, and educating others about the importance of pollinators!
- This #pollinatorweek, join the Million Pollinator Garden Challenge and #beecounted in the effort to provide habitat for pollinators! Get on the #PoliNation map at www.pollinator.org/mpgcmap/
- About 75% of all flowering plant species need animal pollinators for reproduction. As a result, pollinators contribute to ecosystem health and a sustainable food supply. Celebrate them this #pollinatorweek!

Pair these posts with one of the graphics found in the following section and direct your audience back to <u>www.pollinator.org</u>!

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GRAPHICS AND PHOTOS

Graphics:

 Official Pollinator Week Graphics can be downloaded at: <u>http://www.pollinator.org/pollinatorweek/#pw-resources</u>

Photos:

- Please share your photos of all Pollinator Week events using **#pollinatorweek**
- You can share photos directly to <u>info@pollinator.org</u> with consent that Pollinator Partnership can use the images for promotional purposes. Please provide photo credit, date and location.

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Pollinator Week Commemorative Shirts

- A limited edition tee-shirt has been commissioned to help celebrate Pollinator Week. To order a commemorative shirt (the proceeds of which support pollinator conservation efforts) visit www.bonfire.com/pollinator-week-2019
- **Campaign will run April 1 22, 2019** and shirts will arrive before Pollinator Week.

Endangered Pollinators and Their Habitats Poster

- The 2019 poster features beautiful artwork displaying North American pollinator species that are at risk and listed as federally endangered or threatened in the United States, Canada, and Mexico.
- Order at http://pollinator.org/shop/posters

Brochures, Books and more!

 Order more Pollinator Partnership materials at <u>http://pollinator.org/shop</u>



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ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Visit these links for ideas and updates:

National Pollinator Week - <u>http://pollinator.org/pollinator-week</u> Educational Materials - <u>http://pollinator.org/shop</u> Post your event on the Pollinator Week map - <u>http://pollinator.org/pollinator-week#find-events</u> Request a Proclamation from Governor - <u>http://pollinator.org/pollinator-week#pw-action</u> Sponsorship Opportunities - <u>http://pollinator.org/nappc/sponsor</u> Ecoregional Planting Guides - <u>http://pollinator.org/PDFs/DIYBeeHotel.pdf</u> 7 Things You Can Do For Pollinators - <u>http://pollinator.org/7things</u> Million Pollinator Garden Challenge - <u>http://pollinator.org/mpgcmap</u> The Guardians Film - <u>http://www.theguardiansfilm.com/</u> Pollinators Under Pressure - <u>https://www.pollinatorsunderpressure.org/</u> Pollinator Recipes and Fun Activities for Kids - <u>http://pollinator.org/pollinator-week#pw-activities</u>

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